

PATENTAttorney Docket No. **KOPFER-07936****AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 9, line 2, with the following amended paragraph:

Several views of an exemplary embodiment are provided in FIGS. 1-6. The present invention comprises an insert or inner liner 11 that can be attached to or co-molded to an eyewear frame 10 having temple bars 13 (FIG. 1). In preferred embodiments, the front surface of the inner liner comprises indirect baffled vents 14, and the back surface of the inner liner comprises a serrated pattern 26. In some embodiments, direct or indirect venting means are provided: within the inner liner, between the inner liner and the frame, or between a co-molded frame/inner liner and at least one lens 12 (FIG. 2). In some preferred embodiments, the venting means comprises a plurality of upper vents 14 and/or a plurality of lower vents 15 (FIG. 3). The insert 11 of the present invention protects a wearer's eyes from a variety of insults by providing at least one deadspace 16 between a wearer's face and at least one eyewear lens. In some embodiments, the insert comprises one or more screw holes 17 for releasable attachment to an eyewear frame. In additional embodiments, the venting means further comprises one or more venturi tunnels 18. As depicted in FIG. 4, the eyewear insert of the present invention comprises a front surface 19 that closely contacts the eyewear frame and a back surface 20 that substantially contacts the wearer's face (skin around the orbital area of the wearer's eyes). One embodiment of the present invention comprising a baffled venting means between an eyewear insert and an eyewear frame is provided in the view of the front surface 19 of a detached eyewear insert 11 in FIG. 5. For improved peripheral vision, some frames of the present invention comprise apertures for side lenses 23, as well as main lenses 12 (FIG. 6). For attachment to an eyewear frame, the temple bars of the eyewear frame may comprise a hole and a screw 22.